

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE
NORTHEASTERN DIVISION

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF TN.

Sarah Beth Cain,

Plaintiff,

v.

Tennessee Technological University
The Director Of
The Office of the Dean of Students (in his
or her official capacity)
The President of
The Office of Student Affairs (in his or
her official capacity)

Defendants.

NO. 2:17-cv-00055

CHIEF JUDGE CRENSHAW

MAGISTRATE JUDGE FRENSLEY

PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE OBJECTIONS TO
MAGISTRATE JUDGE'S REPORT AND RECOMMENDATIONS AND MOTION FOR DE
NOVO DETERMINATION

Plaintiff respectfully submits this motion for extension of time to file objections to Magistrate Judge's Report and Recommendation and a motion for a *de novo* determination. Magistrate Judge Frensley filed a Report and Recommendations ("Report") regarding Defendants' Motion to Dismiss on August 8, 2018. Docket No. 24. Plaintiff is proceeding *pro se* in all matters related to this action and therefore requires additional time to adequately research legal theories and case law referenced in the Report. Magistrate Frensley's Report includes citations to more than twenty court cases and Plaintiff requests additional time to review these cases in order to prepare a concise document that addresses all key distinctions in

the circumstances of these cases. According to Local Rule 72.02(a) and Federal Rules of Civil Procedure 72(b), Plaintiff has fourteen (14) days after service of the Report to file any written objections with the District Court. Due to the number of cases cited and Plaintiff's status as a *pro se* litigant, Plaintiff respectfully requests a fourteen-day extension for filing her objections and motion for *de novo* determination, from the original due date of August 22, 2018 to September 5, 2018.

Respectfully signed this 19th day of August 2018

Sarah Beth Cain

Plaintiff

8/19/18

(Date)

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(Signature)

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